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#### The Eli Home



The Eli Home received a grant for Case Management of their Children of Addicts Recovery Program (CARP). CARP is Eli's most recent innovation aimed at addressing child abuse, homelessness and addiction - three of the most pressing social problems of our time. CARP's long-term goals for

mothers are sobriety, improved parenting and family relationships, stable housing, financial independence and self-sufficiency. In one year, CARP served 123 mothers and children. The Eli Home's mission is to break the cycle

of child abuse. It aims to strengthen and build resiliency in the lives of children of abuse, neglect, homelessness, poverty, mental illness, undocumented, incarcerated or addicted parents and prepare them to lead non-violent and equitable lives through shelter, counseling, education, support and advocacy. Over 60% of former client mothers who successfully complete their program come back to Eli Home as supporters, volunteers and staff members.

Click here to learn more about the Eli Home.

#### **Our Big Kitchen Los Angeles**

Our Big Kitchen Los Angeles received a grant to help pay the salary for their Volunteer & Program Coordinator who plays the key role in volunteer engagement and the delivery of services. In total, they will serve 10,000 community volunteers and connect meals to 100,000 individuals and families experiencing food insecurity. The mission of OBKLA is to combat hunger by providing meals, love, unity, and community. They are a community-run, industrial non-



denominational kitchen that engages over 12,000 community volunteers to prepare and distribute restaurant-quality meals to individuals and families experiencing food insecurity in Los Angeles County. By deploying an effective volunteer-driven service model, OBKLA addresses the problem of food insecurity in Los Angeles and builds change making communities dedicated to improving the world outside their kitchen.

They provide opportunities for both adult and youth volunteers to become Ambassadors for the organization so they may assist staff in leading volunteer meal prep sessions. As ambassadors, they inspire the next generation of engaged volunteers.

OBKLA is actively involved in the recovery from the LA fires. Watch this heart warming video on Instagram.

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